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ENP02FF108061 2/E2/VCI/R209-71 RPT 2/E1/VCI/R209-71 SUMMARY OF VIETNAMESE
COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN THE DMZ, DRV, MILITARY REGION TRI-THIEN-HUE, AND LAOS
WHICH HAS BECOME AVAILABLE DURING THE PERIOD 071000Z - 080959Z JUNE 1971.
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III. WESTERN QUANG TRI PROVINCE; 304TH DIVISION; A. 9TH REGIMENT, ON 7 JUNE, THE HEADQUARTERS 9TH REGIMENT, NVA 304TH DIVISION WAS LOCATED NEAR XD 172 531 (16-45N 106-50E) WHICH REPRESENTS AN APPROXIMATE 23 KILOMETER NORTHEASTLY MOVE FROM ITS 1 JUNE POSITION AT XD 887 320 (16-34N 106-45E) AND PLACES THIS ENTITY APPROXIMATELY 8 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF FSB TAN LAM BAC (YD 019 593, 16-48N 106-51E). (TACREP NR 2063-71 PASEP USM-808/HOTEL 071217Z JUN 71) B. 66TH REGIMENT, COMMUNICATIONS OF 7 JUNE AMONG UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENTS OF THE 66TH REGIMENT, NVA 304TH DIVISION DISCLOSED THAT THE \$ENEMY\$ HAD LANDED AT 407 (UNLOCATED) AND 410 (POSSIBLY LOCATED AT XD 978 324, 16-34N 106-50E) AND THAT A \$PLATOON\$ WAS SEARCHING FOR \$ENEMY\$ AT 405 (YD 039 423, 16-39N 106-53E). FURTHER, COMMUNIST ELEMENTS WERE INSTRUCTED TO FIRE AT \$ENEMY\$ TROOPS IN THE \$GROUPS\$ REGION AND THAT ARTILLERY HAD FIRED INTO THE LANG DON (XD 951 528, 16-44N 106-48E OF VICINITY XD 975 520, 16-44N 106-50E) REGION. (2/E1/VCM/T3837-71 AND T3838-71) A FINAL MESSAGE WAS MAINLY CONCERNED WITH \$AMMUNITION\$ BEING TRANSFERRED FROM DAT (UNLOCATED) TO BAT DAT (UNLOCATED) AND POSSIBLE TO THUAN TOA (UNLOCATED). (2/E1/VCM/T3844-71) TWO UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENTS (NO RD'S) 66TH REGIMENT, NVA 304TH DIVISION WERE LOCATED ON 7 JUNE. THE FIRST AT XD 946 507 (16-43N 106-48E) APPROXIMATELY SIX KILOMETERS WEST OF COMBAT BASE VANDERGRIFT (YD 003 487, 16-42N 106-51E) AND THE SECOND AT YD 025 396 (16-37N 106-52E) APPROXIMATELY 10 KILOMETERS SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF COMBAT BASE VANDERGRIFT. (TACREP NRS 2061-71 AND 2052-71 PASEP USM-808/HOTEL 071128Z AND 070424Z JUN 71) C. UNIDENTIFIED, A COMMUNIQUE OF 8 JUNE BETWEEN UNIDENTIFIED ELEMENTS OF THE NVA 304TH DIVISION REVEALED THAT THE \$STATION\$ AT DONG CHE (YD 015 398, 16-37N 106-51E) HAD BROKFS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT AND THAT THE \$STATION\$ AT 405 (YD 038 424, 16-39N 106-53E) HAD THREE OBSERVERS AND THREE COMMUNICATIONS OPERATORS. (USM-645 TRANSLATION NR 1036-71) IV. GENERAL DIRECTORATE OF REAR SERVICES (GDRS), INTERCEPT OF GDRS COMMUNICATIONS DURING THIS PERIOD WAS UNUSUALLY HEAVY, AND PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH ALLIED AIR ACTIVITY. BEGINNING IN SOUTHERN LAOS, GORUP 470 (YB 152 553, 14-57N 106-59E) REPORTED THAT AT 1020G ON THE 5TH OF JUNE, COMPNAV 2 (NFI) OF BINH TRAM 36 (YB 230 906, 15-16N 107-04E) SHOT DOWN ONE OV-10 IN THE VICINITY OF NAM ANG (POSSIBLE AKA BAN NAM HIANG, YB 01 92, 15-17N 106-51E). THE PILOT REPORTEDLY ESCAPED CAPTURE. (2/E1/VCI/T3941-71) TO THE NORTH, THE 26TH AAA BATTALION (POSSIBLE VICINITY XC 695 976, 16-15N 106-34E) OF BINH TRAM 33 ALSO REPORTED A SHOOTDOWN DURING THIS PERIOD, HOWEVER THE TIME AND EXACT LOCATION WERE NOT

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SPECIFIED. THE AIRCRAFT ALLEGEDLY BURST INTO FLAMES AND FLEN OFF TO THE EAST, WHERE IT WAS OBSERVED BY PERSONNEL AT KILOMETERS 71 (POSSIBLE VICINITY XC 812 713, 16-00N 106-41E). THE BATALION REQUESTED THE BIHN TRAM'S CONFIRMATION OF THE SHOOTDOWN. (2/F1/VCJ/T3940-71) ON THE 7TH OF JUNE, BIHN TRAM 33 (XD 229 104, 16-22N 106-09E) REPORTED THAT B-52'S HAVE BEEN INCREASINGLY ACTIVE ALONG ROUTES 75 A 22. IS FURTHER STAEJ THE\$(-Y\$ IS USINGNNUUF-6'S HM KCMP \$ RAIFERS\$ AT HIGHPOINT 1188 (VICINITY XC 579 950, 16-12N 106-28E). SUORDINATE UNITS WER E URGED TO \$STAND WATCH AND PAY ATTENTION TO ATTACKING THE ENEMY ON THE GROUND\$. (2/F1/VCJ/T3945-71) N ALSOIKUUCIOD, THS CHH AAA XAHUPCMMMXXMMVMMVMVQN ISSUES THE FOLLOWING DEFENSE INSTRUCTIONS, DURING THE DAY, COMPANY 3 IS TO UTILIZE ONE WEAPON AT KILOETERS 25 (XD 711 023, 16-17N 106-35E) AND ONE WEAPON AT TOM RU (XD 63 14, 16-24N 106-30E). AT NIGHT, THE COMPANY WILL EMPLOY ONE WEAPON AT KILOMETER 25 AND TWO WEAPONS AT TOM RU. COMPANY 102 WIL MAN, DURING BOTH THE DAY AND NIGHT, ONE WEAPON AT KILOMETER 25 AND ONE WEAPON AT TOM RU. COMPANY 104 IS TO MAN TWO WEAPONS, THE LOCATIONS OF WHICH WERE NOT SPECIFIED. (2/F1/VCJ/T3939-71, TACREP PASEP ADDE USM 808/VICTOR NR 2067-71) FINALLY, ON 7 JUNE INFANTJY COXPANY 4 OF BIHN TRAM 9 DISCLOSED THE FBQWQING UNIT DEPLOYMENTS, ON HIGHPOINT 1312 (VICINITY XD 355 695, 16-54N 106-15E) ARE LOCATED ONE OBSERVATION SQUAD AND TWO SQUADS \$ READY FOR BATTLE\$. THREE SQUADS AREE POSITIONED AT HIGHPOINT 748 (VICINITY XD 374 394, 16-39N 106-17E,) WHILE TWO SQUADS ARELOCATED AT HIGHPOINT 723 (VICINITY XD 43 37, 16-36N 106-20E). (2/F1/VCJ/T3951-71) XXHH 900 #0138 NNNN

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